

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

For: BENZO[C]QUINOLIZINE DERIVATIVES AND THEIR USE AS 5α -REDUCTASE INHIBITORS

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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §3.73

I, James V. Costigan, do hereby certify that I am providing evidence of the title of the above-identified application and that I have reviewed the file of the above-identified application and to the best of my knowledge and belief, title to the above-identified application is in Applied Research Systems Holding N.V. and that I have also reviewed the title of U.S. 6,303,622 and U.S. 6,514,912 and to the best of my knowledge and belief, title to those Patents are also in the name of Applies Research Systems Holding N.V.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application and of any patent issued thereon.

Dated: October 27, 2004 By

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